

11/09/99
jc511 U.S. PTO

jc511 U.S. PTO
09/437004
11/09/99

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))	Attorney Docket No. 1749/261
	First Inventor or Application Identifier: Stephen Creaney
	Title of Invention: "DATA COMMUNICATIONS LINK"
	Express Mail Label No. EL287629781US

ADDRESS TO: **ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
BOX PATENT APPLICATION
WASHINGTON, DC 20231**

Transmitted herewith for filing in the United States Patent Office is a patent application for:

Inventors: Stephen Creaney, Richard John Ferguson, Philip Lane, Thomas Crummey

1. The Filing Fee has been calculated as shown below:
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)

No. Filed	No. Extra	Small Entity Rate	Fee 0	Large Entity Rate	Fee 760
BASIC FEE			\$0		\$760.00
TOTAL CLAIMS: 6 - 20 =	0	X 9 = \$0		x 18 = \$0	
INDEP CLAIMS: 1 - 3 =	0	X 39 = \$0		x 78 = \$0	
[<input type="checkbox"/>] MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED		+130 = \$		+260 = \$	
*If the difference in Column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Column 2.		TOTAL \$		TOTAL \$ 760.00	

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

a. Fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (National filing fees).
b. Fees required under 37 CFR 1.17 (National application processing fees).
 A check in the amount of \$ 760.00 is enclosed.

The above filing fee will be paid along with Applicant(s) Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts.

2. Specification; Total Pages 11

3. 6 Sheets of Formal Drawing(s) (35 USC 113)

4. Declaration and Power of Attorney; *[Total Pages ___]*
a. Newly executed (original or copy)
b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)
i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement
attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior
application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) & 1.33(b).

5. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
a. Computer Readable Copy
b. Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
c. Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s) (including \$40.00 fee)

8. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (*when there is an assignee*); Power of Attorney

9. English Translation Document (*if applicable*)

10. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449; ___ Copies of IDS Citations

11. Preliminary Amendment

12. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (*Should be specifically itemized*)

13. Small Entity Statement(s)
 Statement filed in prior application; status still proper and desired.

14. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
Foreign Priority is U.K. Patent Application No. 9825046.7, Filed 11-17-98

15. Other: ___

16. If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite
information below and in a preliminary amendment:

Continuation Divisional Continuation in Part (CIP)
of prior Application No: ___; Filed ___

Prior Application Information: Examiner _____ Group/Art Unit: _____

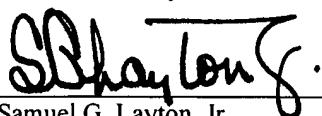
For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration
is supplied under Box 4b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is
hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the
submitted application parts.

17. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

Customer Number or Bar Code Label **000826**

Attention Of: Samuel G. Layton, Jr.

Signature:



Attorney of Record: Samuel G. Layton, Jr.

Attorney Registration No. 22,807

Tel Charlotte Office (704) 331-6000

Fax Charlotte Office (704) 334-2014

ALSTON & BIRD LLP

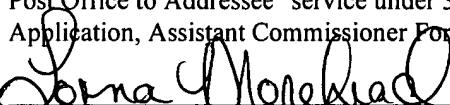
P.O. Drawer 34009

Charlotte NC 28234-4009

"Express Mail" mailing label number EL287629781US

Date of Deposit November 9, 1999

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to Box Patent Application, Assistant Commissioner For Patents, Washington, DC 20231.



Lorna Morehead

CLT01/4391304v1